PTO/SB/22 (07-06)

Approved for use through 09/30/2006. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless if displays a valid OMB control number. PETITION POR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) Docket Number (Optional) FY 2005 H0498.70198US01 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).) Application Number 10/550,826 Filed September 23, 2005 For DETERMINATION OF PROTEINS AND/OR OTHER MOLECULES USING MASS SPECTROSCOPY Art Unit N/A Examiner Not Yet Assigned This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): <u>Fee</u> **Small Entity Fee** One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$120 \$60 \$ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$450 \$225 \$ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1020 \$510 \$ 510.00 Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1590 \$795 \$ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$2160 \$1080 \$ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 23/2825 I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. 12/15/2006 MKAYPAGH 00000040 10550826 02 FC:2253 510.00 OP I am the applicant/inventor. assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). attorney or agent of record. Registration Number attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 December //, 2006 Sighature Date Timothy J. Óyer, Ph.D. (617) 646-8000 Typed or printed name Telephone Number NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below. Total of forms are submitted

Certificate of Mailing Under 37 CFR 1.8(a) I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as First Class Mail, in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. Dated: 7 11 00 Signature:				
	I hereby certify that this paper (along with any pap the date shown below with sufficient postage as Fi Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.	er referred to as being attached or rst Class Mail, in an envelope add	r enclosed) is being deposited with the dressed to: Commissioner for Patent	ts, P.O. Box 1450,